City of Boiling Spring Lakes

List of Ordinances that can be charged criminally

Chapter 3 - ANIMALS

ARTICLE I. - IN GENERAL

Sec. 3-2. – Nuisances (If animal is Nuisance – ie barking. Also sets regulations on vicious animals etc. when not on private property).

Sec. 3-3. - Maintenance of lots, pens, etc. (*Must have adequate food, shelter, safe/clean pens etc.*)

Sec. 3-6. - Injury to birds (Cannot intentionally injure birds)

ARTICLE III. - DOGS AND CATS

Sec. 3-51. - Rabies vaccination. (Animals must be vaccinated)

Sec. 3-54. - Wearing of collars, tags. (*Dogs must wear collars if off property*)

Sec. 3-55. - Running at large (Dogs not allowed to run at large)

Sec. 3-57. - Cleaning up after dogs and cats (Owner responsible to clean up animal waste if off property)

Sec. 3-58. - Unlawful to trap dogs and cats

Chapter 8 - MISCELLANEOUS OFFENSES

Sec. 8-1. - Discharging firearms and other weapons, generally.

(Can't discharge in city)

Sec. 8-2. - Disturbing public meetings.

Sec. 8-3. - Injuring city property.

Sec. 8-4. - Taking certain plants from public or private property;

Sec. 8-5. - Injury to trees, crops, land, etc., of another.

Sec. 8-6. - Smoking in municipal buildings.

Sec. 8-7. - Curfews for minors (Anyone under age 17 cannot be on public property without parent/guardian between 11:00 pm and 5:00 am)

Sec. 8-9. - Public consumption of alcoholic beverages. (*No alcohol/malt beverage in Public Place*)

Chapter 9 - NUISANCES

ARTICLE III. - LITTER

Sec. 9-61. - Prohibited.

Sec. 9-62. - Littering from vehicles.

ARTICLE IV. - NOISE

Sec. 9-89. - Unnecessary noise prohibited.

Sec. 9-90. - Certain noises expressly prohibited.

ARTICLE VI. - FALSE ALARM PREVENTION

Sec. 9-135. - Prohibited acts. (Intentional Activation when no fire or Burglary exist).

Chapter 10 - PARKS AND RECREATION

ARTICLE III. - PARK REGULATIONS

Sec. 10-53. - Injuring, tampering with buildings, facilities, other property.

Sec. 10-54. - Forced entry into locked restrooms; use of facility designated for opposite sex.

Sec. 10-55. - Digging or removing soil, trees, etc.; excavations.

Sec. 10-57. - Trees, shrubbery, lawns. (*Unlawful to remove*)

Sec. 10-58. - Wild animals, birds. (Unlawful to disturb etc.)

Sec. 10-59. - Sanitation. (Littering in Parks)

Sec. 10-60. - Traffic.(Police can Regulate)

Sec. 10-62. - Fires, flammable material. (*No fires in Public/city owned Parks*).

Sec. 10-63. - Disturbing, interfering with others.

Sec. 10-64. - Pets. (Not allowed in certain parks/areas)

Sec. 10-65. - Entering closed park areas; disregarding posted notices.

Sec. 10-66. - Alcoholic beverages, illegal substances. (*Prohibited in Parks*)

Sec. 10-67. - Camping. (Prohibited in Parks)

Sec. 10-68. - Prohibition regarding registered sex offenders.

ARTICLE IV. - LAKES REGULATIONS

Sec. 10-80. - Swimming or wading. (Restrictions in Public Lakes)

Sec. 10-81. - Fishing. (Restrictions in Public Lakes)

Sec. 10-82. - Boating and water skiing. (Restrictions in Public Lakes)

Sec. 10-83. - Aircraft operation. (Illegal to land in city limits)

Chapter 12 - SOLID WASTE

Sec. 12-3. - Burning (Requires a Permit)

Sec. 12-3.2. - Burning prohibitions (*certain items – i.e. mattresses – cannot be burned*)

Sec. 12-4. - Unlawful accumulations (Can't have large amounts of trash piled on property).

Sec. 12-8. - Damaging, interfering with containers .

Chapter 13 - STREETS, SIDEWALKS AND CERTAIN OTHER PUBLIC PLACES

ARTICLE I. - IN GENERAL

Sec. 13-2. - Damage to municipal property.

Sec. 13-3. - Operation of lugged or tracted vehicles (Can't operate on city streets or right of ways without direction of street department)

ARTICLE III. - SIDEWALKS

Sec. 13-85. - Barricades, lights, etc. (Must set up barricades/ lights during excavations or other construction projects near roadways)

Sec. 13-86. - Damaging streets with tractors, harrows, etc.

Chapter 15 - TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES

ARTICLE I. - IN GENERAL

Sec. 15-2. - Street turns (No U-turns in middle of street, must drive on right side of road etc.)

Sec. 15-3. - Registration of go-carts, mopeds, dirt bikes, etc. (All vehicles over 5hp and that can travel in excess of 19mph must be registered with North Carolina DMV).

Sec. 15-32. - Obedience to signs, markers or devices.

Sec. 15-34. - Display of unauthorized signs, signals or markings (cannot place sign on public street that imitates official sign).

Sec. 15-35. - Interference with official traffic-control devices, signs or signals. (*Damaging traffic signs*)

Sec. 15-37. - Obedience to police and fire department officials.

ARTICLE III. - STOPPING, STANDING, PARKING

DIVISION 3. - REGULATIONS

Sec. 15-86. - Parking in right-of-way. (Prohibited to park in street and disrupts flow of traffic)

Sec. 15-87. - Unlawful location or purpose; no signs required. (Regulations for parking on or near Sidewalks, Hydrants etc.)